
IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

FEBRUARY 6, 1863.

Read twice, committed to a Committee of the Whole House, made the order of the day for to-morrow, and ordered to be printed.

Mr. NOELL, from the Committee on Private Land Claims, reported the following bill :

A BILL

For the relief of John E. Bouligny, of Louisiana.

1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*
3 That there be, and hereby is, confirmed to John E. Bouligny,
4 of the State of Louisiana, as one of the heirs and legal repre-
5 sentatives of Jean Antoine Bernard D'Autrive, the one-sixth
6 part of the land claim of said D'Autrive, in said State, said one-
7 sixth part amounting to seventy-five thousand nine hundred
8 and seventy-three acres. And that inasmuch as the said
9 lands embraced in said claim have been already appropriated
10 by the United States to other purposes, that certificates of
11 new location, in eighty-acre lots, be issued to said Bouligny,
12 in lieu of said lands, to be located at any land office in the

13 United States upon any public lands subject to private entry,
14 at a price not exceeding one dollar and twenty-five cents per
15 acre. And the Commissioner of the General Land Office is
16 hereby directed to issue said certificates of new location in
17 accordance with existing regulations in such cases.